



IDEAL PCC GROUP MODEL

We believe that the qualities listed below provide the best environment for groups to connect in relationships, grow spiritually, and care for one another.

MEET AT LEAST TWICE A MONTH

PCC Groups will meet at a time and place that is convenient for the whole group. Ideally, PCC Groups meet twice a month in someone's home. Developing significant relationships takes time and consistency—that's why we encourage groups to meet at least twice a month.

MEET AT LEAST NINE MONTHS OUT OF THE YEAR

We recommend using the school year (September – May) as a guideline for meeting schedules. This will give your group natural breaks throughout the year and summers off or for fun, relaxing activities.

GATHERINGS CENTERED AROUND BIBLICALLY BASED LESSON

Groups can choose from a number of recommended curriculums, such as weekly sermon discussion questions or curriculums to address specific areas for continued spiritual growth, and building relationships.

PRAYER AND SHARING

We believe PCC Groups are a safe place to be known, encouraged, celebrated, and challenged. The format and atmosphere of each Group will be different depending on the leaders and the people in the group, but they all exist to help people connect with each other and with God through prayer.

SERVE TOGETHER

We encourage each group to find an opportunity to serve together quarterly.

HAVE FUN

Play games, celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, and achievements. Gatherings shouldn't just be study and prayer but full of smiles and laughter.

ROOM FOR MORE

In order for every PCC group to remain healthy and growing, focused on the mission of 'helping our neighbors find and follow Jesus,' they should always have room for new people to join. If a group gets to a place where it is "full," then it's time for that group to work with the leadership of the church to launch new groups to ensure that our neighbors always have a place to build relationships and to be encouraged in their spiritual growth.